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Dear Mr. Weisberg,

I apologize for a handwritten letter - and on green paper yet - but my students are filling out a form for the office and this seems like a good time to drop you a note.

Thanks for your last letter. I appreciated your comments on Josiah Thompson.

I read the review of Frame-Up in SR and was most pleased. Maybe that will draw the attention to your book which it so richly deserves. How are your escapades with Foreman and Hirie coming? You said in your first letter that you've been easy on them in public appearances, Dear God, don't be! Really lay into them - you've got the material to wipe their behinds so fly at it, man!

Since I last wrote to you I have finished 4 more books on the J.F.K. assassination,

A Heritage of Stone by Jim Garrison was terribly disappointing. There were a couple of decent chapters but the rest I thought was garbage. Why didn't he mention, even once, Clay Shaw? I can't figure that out. What the book did do for me was convince me to PLEAD with you for a copy of your book on Oswald in New Orleans. I know that it is out of print, but can't I get a copy somehow? There must be a way.

Can We Now Believe the Warren Report? was one of the worst things I have yet read on the subject. There are so many holes in the arguments presented that it is hardly worthwhile to have it in one's library.

I finished Six Seconds in Dallas and clearly recognize many things he took from you. Also, I really can't accept his argument about a rifleman on the Courts Building. Still, the photographs published are helpful.

I also finished Photographic Whitewash.

Mr. Weisberg, you frustrate me. You point out all those important details about missing photographs and when I can't look at those photos I really get frustrated. I consider that book to be an important contribution to the literature on the assassination.

All of these books make me that much more anxious to read your Post-Mortem series. I won't deny that I'm impatient to get them. I want to read them NOW!

I'm sorry about the Xeroxing but at least you might keep it in mind.

Let me know how things are going. Also, your comments on the 4 books I read would be much appreciated.

Sincerely,
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